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SUBJECT: CIVAIR - ADVANCE BOOKING CHARTERS FROM UK TO  
CANADA AND THE CARIBBEAN

1. BRITISH CAA HAS ANNOUNCED RELAXATION OF ADVANCE  
BOOKING REQUIREMENTS ON ABC FLIGHTS FROM UK TO CANADA  
AND CARIBBEAN. CITING LATE INTRODUCTION OF ABC RULES  
AS BASIS FOR MODIFICATIONS, CAA HAS DECLARED THAT FOR  
JOURNEYS BEGINNING IN:

APRIL/ MAY, ADVANCED BOOKING PERIOD IS REDUCED TO  
15 DAYS;

JUNE, ADVANCED BOOKING PERIOD IS REDUCED TO 30 DAYS;  
AND

JULY/ AUGUST, ADVANCED BOOKING PERIOD IS REDUCED TO  
60 DAYS.

2. WE ARE SEEKING CLARIFICATION WHETHER REDUCED AD-  
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VANCED BOOKING REQUIREMENTS WERE NEGOTIATED BY UK WITH CANADIAN AND CARIBBEAN GOVERNMENTS OR WHETHER THEY WERE UNILATERALLY DETERMINED BY CAA. IN EITHER CASE, HOWEVER, REDUCTIONS IN ADVANCE BOOKING PERIODS OVER VIRTUALLY ENTIRE SEASON REPRESENTS SIGNIFICANT DEPARTURE FROM PRINCIPLES EMBODIED IN OTTAWA DECLARATION AND WILL PUT US AND BRITISH AIRLINES MARKETING UK- ORIGIN/ US DESTINED ABC FLIGHTS AT RELATIVE DISADVANTAGE BECAUSE OF MORE STRINGENT ADVANCE BOOKING REQUIREMENTS APPLIED.

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